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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6705**  
Kunihiko IIZUKA et al. : Docket No. 2001\_1460A  
Serial No. 09/937,221 : Group Art Unit 1625  
Filed July 18, 2002 : Examiner Bernard I. Dentz

AGENT FOR PROPHYLAXIS AND TREATMENT  
OF INTERSTITIAL PNEUMONIA AND PULMONARY  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated October 3, 2003, the time for responding thereto being extended for three months in accordance with a petition for extension submitted concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: